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Absolute Destruction

Annie, Jake, Isaac, Wayon and the rest of the town are in the auditorium watching a magician perform magic. The magician said, “I am the Great Magini and I will blow your minds away with magic.” He looks at the crowd and crickets chirp. The Great Magini said, “I will make this chair next to me, fly.” He takes a magic cloth and he throws it over the chair and he waves his magic wand around the chair. He said, “Abra Cadabra Kazaam! Make this chair, fly.” The chair does nothing at all. Magini looks at the crowd and he said, “Now, pretend this chair is flying.” The crowd yawns. Magini said, “Well, then how about a card trick? I will need a partner.” No one does anything. The Mayor walks on stage. Magini said, “Ah, our very own Mayor. He will be my volunteer. Now, pick a card.” Magini holds a deck of cards up to the Mayor. The Mayor points to a card and Magini drops the rest of the cards except for the one the Mayor picked. Magini said, “Was this your card?” The Mayor looks at the audience and he said, “How did he know?” The crowd yawns again. Isaac stands up and he said, “This is lame. Let’s throw tomatoes at him.” The crowd throws tomatoes at Magini and the Mayor. The Mayor yells, “End this now! Ah, ack ah ack awe ack!” The Mayor falls on his knees and he appears to be choking. He falls on his back and he violently jumps against the back wall and he falls down flat.

The auditorium is evacuated and the crowd is now standing outside of the auditorium as the paramedics place the Mayor into the ambulance and drive away. Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon watch and Jake said, “What do you think is up with the Mayor?” Annie said, “This must be some kind of trick so we will do nice things for him or have pointless celebrations or something.” Isaac said, “Who cares?” Wayon said, “The Mayor was choked up and it looks like he’s broke up.” Jake said, “That’s what scares me.”

Annie and Jake are in the place they stay at and they watch TV. The only thing on the rigged TV is coverage of the Mayor in the hospital. TV crews gather around the Mayor and he looks horribly sick and his skin is bubbling. The Mayor said, “It was a fun ride here. I did not think it would end like this.” The Mayor lies back down in his bed and he dies. The doctor in the room feels his pulse. The doctor said, “The Mayor is dead.” Annie and Jake’s eyes go big and they look at each other. Jake said, “What do you think is going to become of this crazy town now that the one and only unelected mayor has died?” Annie said, “I think they will get a new mayor. I hope he will not be as bad as this one.”

The next day, it is wet and rainy outside and the whole town dresses in black and they attend the Mayor's funeral. The priest gets up on the stage and he said, "Mayor Fidelly Widely was a great mayor. He knew how to run things in this city and he knew how to take care of people in a fair and respectful manor. May God keep his soul in the…" The priest begins to get sick and violently cough and his skin bubbles. He falls to the ground. Doctors arrive at the scene and they examine him and the doctor said, "He's dead." Isaac said, "A death at a funeral? Now I've seen everything." Another person at the funeral begins to bubble. Another person coughs in sickness.

Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon are at Annie and Jake's place and they watch the TV. George Ferrier is on the screen. George Ferrier said, "This is (cough) George Ferrier of DDD News. The police chief has declared a state of emergency in the town. He asks for everyone to stay in their homes and take some special rations and medicine. Cough, ack." George Ferrier's head begins to bubble. Jake sinks into the couch and he shakes in fear. He chatters his teeth and he chews off his nails. Isaac places a corn on the cob in there and Jake chews the corn off completely in a few seconds. Isaac said, "Well you should come up with something, Annie. You are always the one that solves these cases after all." Annie said, "You're right. I need to figure out what is wrong with the town." They see the wall begins to crack. Isaac said, "Hey, what's up with the wall?" The crack grows bigger until there is a hole in the wall and the whole building falls apart and rains rubble and debris in the streets.

They see sick people with bubbling skin walk down the street. A man falls off the top window of the building and he splats on the ground and it is nothing but a puddle of a flesh colored liquid. Another building collapses. More buildings on the blocks explode into a liquid and it pours down the street. Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon are carried into the flow of liquid. Annie reaches in her pocket and she takes out a test tube and she collects a sample of the liquid in the street. They get thrown against a brick wall and the liquid drains and backs up the sewer leaving the streets a shallow flood of liquid. Annie said, "We need to find a safe place to set up my lab so I can examine this liquid."

Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon enter the library which still seems to be intact. The gray skinned and bubbly faced librarian goes to Annie, Jake, Isaac and Wayon and she said, "You have to do work in here. Don't fool around so get the heck out of here." The librarian flinches backwards and she falls to the floor dead. Annie said, "Let's get set up." Annie looks at the liquid under a microscope and she looks at the results on a computer the microscope is connected to. Annie said, "This liquid seems to be wax. As if the city buildings are made out of wax." Jake said, "Why would they make a city building out of wax?" Annie said, "Something must be up and why would people be getting sick and dying?" Annie and Jake spot the dead librarian on the floor. Annie takes out another test tube and she collects some of the liquid from the dead librarian and she runs a scan on it too. Annie said, "This is also wax. It seems as if she is also made out of wax." Jake said, "What is with it with wax? Why wax? Wax this, wax that? What is the connection between this place and wax?" Annie suddenly gets a flashback of Madame Tupsplix getting arrested and her town of wax people left in the shadows. Annie said, "Are you thinking what I'm thinking?" Jake said, "I don't know what to think and Isaac is acting

like a fricking clown over there." Isaac and Wayon jump on the chandelier and they swing around the lobby of the library. The chandelier falls from the ceiling and it crashes to the floor. The chandelier breaks and it cuts part of Isaac's body and the wax liquid leaks out. Isaac looks down at it and he said, "He waxed me. He waxed me, dude." Isaac faints.

Annie said, "We are going to test my theory." Annie grabs Isaac and she rips off his shirt and she sees indents on his upper back. Jake said, "That is text. It reads something." Annie holds it at a certain angle and the text reads, "Property of Madame Tupsplix." Jake's eyes go big. Annie said, "Just what I thought. Jake, let me see your back too." Annie does the same with Jake and it says the same thing on his upper back. Annie said, "Now you look at mine." Jake looks at Annie's upper back and he sees the text that reads, "Property of Madame Tupsplix." Jake said, "I guess it is official." Annie said, "We are not ourselves. We are copies of ourselves." Jake said, "How could this be? I remember that time when we crashed into Madame Tupsplix's duplicate town and we did meet wax figures of ourselves but, I don't remember being a wax figure." Annie said, "Neither do I. I remember graduating high school with a high degree in Calculus and Vectors and the catastrophe that brought us to the crazy town but, I don't remember being a copy." Jake said, "What are we going to do?" Annie said, "We need to alert the public. We all need to know and we need to figure out a plan on how to stop this destruction from happening."

Annie, Jake, and Wayon holding Isaac run outside of the library and they see people running down the street like idiots flailing their hands in the air knowing they are going to die. Annie sees a megaphone from the dead town crier and Annie grabs it and she said, "Attention everyone! I know why were are dying. We are not ourselves. We are just merely copies of ourselves." George Ferrier enters the scene and his skin is gray and droopy and his head has more bubbles on it. George said, "If we are copies of ourselves then where are our real selves?" Annie said, "They are probably in the real crazy town suffering from god knows what crazy bizarre encounters." George Ferrier said, "What are we going to do about this?" Annie thinks and she gets another flashback and she sees Madame Tupsplix talking into her communicator and the computer showing her that wax figures disintegrate if they are not maintained. Annie said, "We need to maintain ourselves." Annie pans her head around the street and she sees the short but wide cylinder in the ground. Annie runs to it and she tries to lift it and she cracks her back. Wax begins to drip down her face and her forehead begins to bubble slightly. Annie said, "I'm not strong enough. But I bet Wayon is." Wayon walks up to Annie. Annie said, "Do you want to die here today or do you want to save your life and the life of your friend here too?" Wayon said, "I guess I don't get a choice much like I choose my voice." Wayon places Isaac down and he tries hard and he opens up the cylinder revealing an elevator that leads to the underground factory.

They enter the underground, Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon. They walk past the machines that created them and they try to turn them on. They don't turn on and a screen on them said, "Insufficient power." Annie punches the screen and she said, "Drat!" A voice comes from behind them and they are soldiers that have insignias on their uniforms from another universe. The soldiers said, "This is the Global Empire and we want to exterminate anyone that

gets in our way!" Annie, Jake, Isaac, and Wayon get into poses that show they are ready to get into a fight. Wax trips off of all of them and their skins begin to turn gray. Isaac and Wayon run into the soldiers like idiots. The soldiers shoot at Isaac and Isaac falls to the floor dead. Wayon gives the soldiers a sharp look and he said, "He who does that to my friend will meet his end." Wayon runs into the soldiers with his arms wide open and he knocks them down. He smashes their heads into each other and he rips their heads off and liquid wax rapidly leaks underneath their heads.

Annie said, "We need to find the maintenance center." They run down the machine rooms and they find a chamber that has liquid containers and injectors. Annie runs to the machine and she gets the liquid injected into her. Her skin returns to normal and she begins to feel fine again. Annie said, "It works." Jake and Wayon go the machine and they get themselves injected and they look perfect again. Annie goes to the control panel and she presses some buttons on it and loads of injectors with the liquid come out. Annie said, "Grab as many as you can. We will be needing all we can get."

Annie, Jake, and Wayon run out in the streets and boulders of debris roll down the street and they destroy more buildings and other objects on the street and Annie, Jake, and Wayon jump out of its way. They see George Ferrier out on the street and Annie runs to him but then a building from behind him falls and crushes him. Annie said, "The city is no longer safe. We need to seek outside help! Follow me!" Annie runs north and Jake and Wayon follow her. They run outside the destroyed and rotting city gate and they run into what looks like sky but it is actually a wall. Annie finds the hidden door and she opens it and they enter a small lobby and there is a destroyed roller coaster front car there. Annie said, "We need to fix this up if we want to get out of here!" Annie tries repairing it and then, more Global Empire Soldiers spawn in the lobby. One of them aims their rifle at Annie and he yells, "Don't you dare move! I see you have some antidote on you too." The soldier grabs the injectors off Annie and Jake. Wayon punches the soldier in the face and more enter the room and they pile up on Wayon. Annie rushes and she reassembles the roller coaster front car and she and Jake jump in. They see Wayon is fighting off the soldiers and one of them gets hold of Wayon's long neck and they all fire at Wayon leaving holes in his body and wax leaks out of Wayon. They drop Wayon's body dead." Annie speeds out of the lobby. They speed in the roller coaster front car out in the middle of nowhere. Jake said, "Do you know where we're headed?" Annie said, "We came here in a straight line before and we will do the same this time." Annie's skin begins to go gray again and Jake's skin does the same thing. Annie said, "You still got the injectors?" Jake said, "Those soldiers stole them from us."

They dart for the city. Meanwhile, the wax piles up so high in the fake town that the dome it is in cannot hold it anymore and it breaks and wax liquid floods out of the dome. It flows rapidly and Annie tries to outrun in on the roller coaster car. Jake said, "It is catching up to us." Annie said, "I'm going as fast as I can." The flowing liquid catches the roller coaster car and the car begins surfing on the waves of wax and they are thrown into the real crazy town. They crash into a building and the roller coaster car is covered in wax and it breaks in a few pieces. The impact from the crash causes Annie and Jake to turn into liquid puddles of wax. They

splash on the street. Two seconds later, the real Annie and Jake walk down the street and they look at the debris from the roller coaster car and the remains of their wax selves. Annie and Jake look at the debris and they wax puddles. Jake said, “What happened here?” Annie said, “It looks like some liquid based entity tried to fly to earth and crash into the building. They did not seem to be successful. This is what happens when you need help and you don’t get it.”